

Plumpton School, Plumpton, Penrith, Cumbria, CA11 9PA

FINANCE AND PREMISES COMMITTEE

Terms of Reference and Constitution

Membership

- 1. The Committee shall consist of six governors (including the Headteacher).
- 2. Other members of the Governing Body and the Office Manager may attend meetings of the committee but shall not be entitled to vote.
- 3. The Committee shall meet six times per year.
- 4. The quorum of the committee shall be three governors.

5. Functions

The Committee shall exercise the following powers of duties:-

- i) Monitor the school budget and the school fund throughout the year.
- ii) Recommend to the Governors the school budget plan for the following 3 financial years.
- iii) Exercise the following delegated powers:
 - a) enter into contracts below £5,000
 - b) exercise virement within the LA's recommended scheme.
 - c) authorise the Headteacher to make miscellaneous financial decisions and make payments not exceeding £5,000.
 - d) monitor health and safety matters within the school.
 - e) approve a scheme of expenses for staff and governors
 - f) any other powers which from time to time the governors deem it appropriate to delegate.
- iii) Monitor the condition of the building and approve minor repairs and improvements not exceeding £5000.
- 6. All minutes of the Committee shall be circulated to the Full Governors at their next appropriate meeting.
- 7. The constitution and terms of reference of the Committee shall be reviewed annually by the Governors